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To: Police Chiefs, Sheriffs, and Law Enforcement Authorities in the Commonwealth of Virginia

From: Virginia Department of General Services, Division of Purchases and Supply (DGS/DPS)

Subject: DGS/DPS Directive 2014-12-07 "Devices for Use in Measuring Light Transmittance through Vehicle Windshields and Windows"

Sections §46-2-1052 and 1053 of the Code of Virginia require that DGS/DPS determine standards for portable devices used to measure light transmittance through vehicle windshields and windows. Pursuant to the aforementioned Code authority, DGS/DPS has developed Virginia Standard No. 493-72-010 for devices to be used by Commonwealth law enforcement officers, and has determined that the following Light Transmittance Meters comply with Virginia Standard 493-72-010, and this directive:

1. Laser Labs Tint Meters:

"Enforcer II – TM1000" single-piece unit (Replaces TM 100 Enforcer)

"Inspector II – TM2000" two-piece unit (Replaces TM 200 / TM 400 Inspector)

Source: Laser Labs, Inc. 70 Corporate Park Drive, Unit 1245, Pembroke, Ma, 02359, (800) 452-2344

Email: sales@laser-labs.com, URL: www.laser-labs.com

2. EDTM, Inc., (Electronic Design To Market) Tint Meters:

"Tint Chek TC1800" one-piece unit

"Tint Chek+ TC2800 one-piece unit with backlight

"Tint Chek Pro TC3800 two-piece unit

Source: EDTM, Inc., 745 Capital Commons Drive, Toledo, Ohio 43615, (419) 861-1030, Fax (419) 861-1031,

Email: sales@edtm.com, URL: www.tint-chek.com

Two reference samples are required for each Light Transmittance Meter; one in the 15 to 35 percent range and one in the 50 to 80 percent range. The meter must be checked with the two reference samples prior to each use to verify meter accuracy.

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Sincerely,

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Subscribed and sworn before me this 14 day of JUNE, 2023

My Commission expires: 10-31-2025

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